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SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Supplemental to the Preliminary Amendment of February  
4, 2000, please amend the above-identified patent application as  
follows:

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend claims 97, 100, 103 as follows:

F, ~~197~~. (Amended) An apparatus capable of playing an  
optical disc storing (1) a video program including within[, and  
not provided by an alternative program source, at least one  
parallel] a plurality of video segments for variably playing a  
scene of the video program; (2) segment information[, not created  
by a user of the video program,] directly defining a plurality of

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